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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Takeshi UCHIDA et al. /
Application No. 09/869,347 /
Filed September 7, 2001 /
For: MATERIALS FOR POLISHING LIQUID FOR METAL,
POLISHING LIQUID FOR METALS, METHOD FOR
PREPARATION THEREOF AND POLISHING METHOD
USING THE SAME
Group Art Unit 2813
Examiner: L. Schillinger

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**REQUEST FOR COMPLETE OFFICE ACTION AND RESETTING/RESTARTING
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June 9, 2003

Sir:

The Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, in the above-identified application, is noted. This Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, included three (3) pages of Form PTO-892 (Notice of References Cited). This Form PTO-892 listed seven (7) U.S. patent documents and sixteen (16) Foreign Patent Documents. The Foreign Patent Documents began on Page 1 of 3, and continued on Pages 2 of 3 and 3 of 3, of the Form PTO-892.

However, Applicants received, enclosed with the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, in addition to the listed U.S. patent documents, only the foreign patent documents listed on Page 1 of 3 of the Form PTO-892 enclosed with the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003. That is, the Foreign Patent Documents listed on Page 2 of 3 and of Page 3 of 3 of the Form PTO-892 of the Office Action mailed May 8,

2003, were not enclosed with this Office Action. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, is incomplete.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner issue a complete Office Action in the above-identified application, including copies of each of the references on Pages 2 of 3 and 3 of 3 of the Form PTO-892 enclosed with the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, copies of these listed references not having been previously provided to Applicants.

In addition, it is respectfully requested that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, be fully reset/restarted, to begin with the date of mailing of the complete Office Action. In this regard, note that while this Request is being submitted a day after the one-month date from mailing of the incomplete Office Action, the one-month date fell on a Sunday, such that present filing of the Request is timely to fully reset or restart the period. See 37 CFR § 1.7.

In view of the foregoing, completion of the Office Action mailed May 8, 2003, by providing Applicants with copies of the Foreign Patent Documents as discussed previously; and resetting/restarting the period for response to be a full three-month period from the date of mailing the complete Office Action, is respectfully requested.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the Deposit Account No. 01-

2135 (Case No. 566.40319X00) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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